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listed as rust-resistant under §301.38-2 (a)(1) and (a)(2).

Rust-susceptible plants. All plants of the genera Berberis, Mahoberberis, and Mahonia not listed as rust-resistant under § 301.38-2 (a)(1) and (a)(2).

Regulated article. Any article listed in 301.38-2 (a)(1) through (a)(3) of this subpart or otherwise designated as a regulated article in accordance with §301.38–2(a)(4) of this subpart.

Seedling. Any plant of the genera Berberis, Mahoberberis, and Mahonia grown from seed and having less than 2 years' growth.

State. The District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands, or any State, territory or possession of the United States.

Two years' growth. The growth of a plant during all growing seasons of 2 successive calendar years.

[54 FR 32791, Aug. 10, 1989; 54 FR 38494, Sept. 18, 1989; 67 FR 8178, Feb. 22, 2002; 71 FR 5778, Feb. 3, 2006]

§ 301.38-2 Regulated articles.

- (a) The following are regulated articles:3
- (1) All plants, seeds, fruits, and other plant parts capable of propagation following the rust-resistant Berberis species and varieties.
 - B. $aggregata \times B.$ wilsoniae'Pirate

King'

- B. 'Amstelveen'
- B. aridocalida
- B. beaniana
- B. buxifolia
- B. buxifolia nana B. calliantha
- B. candidula
- B. candidula 'Amstelveen'
- B. $candidula \times B$. verruculosa 'Amstelveen'

The plants are moistened and maintained in 100% humidity, causing the spores to swell and fall on the plants lying under the screen. The plants are then observed for 7 days at 20-80% relative humidity. This test procedure is repeated 12 times. If in all 12 tests, the rustsusceptible plant shows signs of infection after 7 days and the test plants do not, USDA will declare the test plant variety rust-resistant. The tests must be performed on new growth, just as the leaves are unfolding.

³Permit and other requirements for the insterstate movement of black stem rust organisms are contained in part 330 of this chapter.

- B. cavallieri
- B. chenaulti
- B. chanaulti 'Apricot Queen'
- B. circumserrata
- B. concinna
- B. coxii
- B. darwini
- B. dasystachya
- B. dubia
- B. feddeana
- B. formosana B. franchetiana
- B. gagnepainii
- B. gagnepaini 'Chenault'
- B. gilgiana
- B. gladwynensis
- B. gladwynensis 'William Penn'
- B. gyalaica
- B. heterophylla
- B. horvathi
- B. hybrido-gagnepaini
- B. insignis
- B. integerrima 'Wallichs Purple'
- B. julianae
- B. julianae 'Nana'
- B. julianae 'Spring Glory'
- B. koreana
- $koreana \times B$. thunbergii hybrid Bailsel
- B. koreana×B. thunbergii hybrid Tara
- B. lempergiana
- B. levidifolia
- B. linearifolia
- B. linearifolia var. 'Orange King'
- B. lologensis
- B. lologensis 'Mystery Fire'
- B. manipurana
- B. media 'Park Jewel'
- B. media 'Red Jewel'
- B. mentorensis
- B. pallens
- B. poirettii 'BJG 073', 'MTA'
- B. potanini
- B. Renton
- B. replicata B. sanguinea
- B. sargentiana
- B. sikkimensis
- B. soulieana 'Claret Cascade'
- B. stenophylla
- B. stenophylla diversifolia
- B. stenophylla gracilis
- B. stenophylla irwini
- B. stenophylla nana compacta
- B. taliensis
- B. telomaica artisepala
- B. thunbergii
- B. thunbergii 'Admiration'
- B. thunbergii 'Antares'

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B. thunbergii argenteo marginata
                                                B. thunbergii 'Painter's Palette'
 B. thunbergii atropurpurea
                                                B. thunbergii 'Pink Queen'
                                                B. thunbergii pluriflora
 B. thunbergii atropurpurea erecta
      thunbergii
                                                B. thunbergii 'Pow Wow'
                   atropurpurea
                                    erecta
                                                B. thunbergii 'Red Carpet'
   Marshalli
                                                B. thunbergii 'Red Rocket'
 B. thunbergii atropurpurea 'Golden
   Ring'
                                                B. thunbergii 'Rosy Rocket'
                                                B. thunbergii 'Royal Burgundy'
 B.
      thunbergii atropurpurea
                                    'Inter-
                                                B. thunbergii 'Royal Cloak'
B. thunbergii 'Sparkle'
   media'
 B. thunbergii atropurpurea 'Knight
   Burgundy'
                                              B. thunbergii 'Sparkler'
                                                B. thunbergii 'Talago'
B. thunbergii 'Thornless'
B. thunbergii 'Tiny Gold'
B. thunbergii atropurpurea 'Moretti Se-
 B. thunbergii atropurpurea nana
 B. thunbergii atropurpurea 'Redbird'
                                                B. thunbergii 'Upright Jewell'
      thunbergii atropurpurea
                                                B. thunbergii variegata
                                                B. thunbergii xanthocarpa
   Glow'
 B. thunbergii aurea
                                                B. thunbergiix'Bailsel' (Golden Car-
 B. thunbergii 'Aurea Nana' B. thunbergii 'Bagatelle'
                                                  ousel®)
                                                B. thunbergii×'Tara' (Emerald Car-
 B. thunbergii 'Bailgreen' (Jade Car-
                                                  ousel®)
   ousel<sup>TM</sup>)
                                                B. triacanthophora
  B. thunbergii 'Bailone'
                                                B. triculosa
 B. thunbergii 'Bailone' (Ruby Car-
                                                B. verruculosa
   ousel®)
                                                B. virgatorum
 B. thunbergii 'Bailtwo'
                                                B. workingensis
 B. thunbergii
                  'Bailtwo' (Burgundy
                                                B. xanthoxulon
   Carousel®)
                                                B.xcarminea 'Pirate King'
 B. thunbergii 'Bonanza Gold' B. thunbergii 'Concorde'
                                                B.×frikartii 'Amstelveen'
                                                (2) All plants, seedlings, seeds, fruits,
 B. thunbergii 'Crimson Ruby'
                                              and other plant parts capable of propa-
 B. thunbergii 'Crimson Pygmy'
                                              gation from the following rust-resist-
      thunbergii
                   'Criruzam'
                                 Crimson
                                              ant Mahoberberis and Mahonia species
                                              and varieties, except Mahonia cuttings
   Ruby^{TM}
 B. thunbergii 'Dwarf Jewell'
                                              for decorative purposes:
                                                (i) Genus Mahoberberis:
 B. thunbergii erecta
B. thunbergii 'Fireball'
                                                M. aqui-candidula
 B. thunbergii 'globe'
                                                M. aquifolium 'Smaragd'
 B. thunbergii 'golden'
B. thunbergii 'Golden Carpet'
                                                M. aqui-sargentiae
                                                M. miethkeana
 B. thunbergii 'Golden Devine'
                                                M.\times'Magic'
 B. thunbergii 'Golden Pygmy'
                                                (ii) Genus Mahonia:
 B. thunbergii 'Golden Rocket'
                                                M. amplectens
 B. thunbergii 'Golden Ruby'
                                                M. aquifolium
 B. thunbergii 'Green Carpet'
                                                M. aquifolium atropurpurea
 B. thunbergii 'Harlequin'
B. thunbergii 'Helmond Pillar'
                                                M. aquifolium compacta
                                                M. aquifolium compacta 'John Muir'
 B. thunbergii 'Kobold'
                                                M. aquifolium 'Donewell'
 B. thunbergii 'Lime Glow'
                                                M. aquifolium 'Kings Ransom'
 B. thunbergii 'Lustre Green'
                                                M. aquifolium 'Orangee Flame'
 B. thunbergii 'Maria'
                                                M. aquifolium 'Undulata'
                                                M. aquifolium 'Winter Sun'
 B. thunbergii maximowiczi
 B. thunbergii 'Midruzam' Midnight
                                                M. 'Arthur Menzies'
   Ruby^{TM}
                                                M. bealei
 B. thunbergii minor
                                                M. dictyota
 B. thunbergii 'Monlers' B. thunbergii 'Monomb'
                                                M. fortunei
                                                M. 'Golden Abundance'
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M. japonica

 $M. japonica \times M. lomariifolia$ 'Charity'

B. thunbergii 'Monry'

B. thunbergii 'Orange Rocket'

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M. lomarifolia

M. nervosa

 $M.\ pinnata$

M. pinnata 'Ken Hartman'

M. piperiana

M. pumila

M. repens

M.×media 'Charity'

M.×media 'Winter Sun'

(3) All plants, seeds, fruits, and other plant parts capable of propagation from rust-susceptible species and varieties of the genera *Berberis*, *Mahoberberis*, and *Mahonia*, except *Mahonia* cuttings for decorative purposes.

(4) Any other product or article not listed in paragraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) of this section that an inspector determines presents a risk of spread of black stem rust. The inspector must notify the person in possession of the product or article that it is subject to the provisions of this subpart.

(b) A person may request that an additional rust-resistant variety be added to paragraph (a)(1) or (a)(2) of this section. The person requesting that a rust-resistant variety be added to paragraph (a)(1) or (a)(2) of this section must provide APHIS with a description of the variety, including a written description and color pictures that can be used by an inspector to clearly identify the variety and distinguish it from other varities.

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§ 301.38-3 Protected areas.

(a) The Administrator may designate as a protected area in paragraph (d) of this section any State that has eradicated rust-susceptible plants of the genera Berberis, Mahoberberis, Mahonia under the cooperative Federal-State eradication program. In addition, the State must employ personnel with responsibility for the issuance and withdrawal of certificates in accordance with §301.38-5, and maintain and enforce an inspection program under which every plant nursery within the State is inspected at least once each year to ensure that they are free of rust-susceptible plants. During the

requisite nursery inspections, all nursery stock shall be examined to determine that it consists only of rust-resistant varieties of the genera *Berberis*, *Mahoberberis*, and *Mahonia*, and that the plants are true to type. Plants that do not meet this criteria must be destroyed.

- (b) The Administrator may designate as a protected area any county within a State, rather than the entire State, if areas within the State have eradicated rust-susceptible plants of the general Berberis, Mahoberberis, and Mahonia under the cooperative Federal-State program, and;
- (1) The State employs personnel with responsibility for the issuance and withdrawal of certificates in accordance with §301.38-5;
- (2) The State is enforcing restrictions on the intrastate movement of the regulated articles that are equivalent to those imposed by this subpart on the interstate movement of regulated articles, as determined by the Administrator; and
- (3) The State maintains and enforces an inspection program under which every plant nursery within the county is inspected at least once each year to ensure that plant nurseries within that area are free of rust-susceptible plants of the genera Berberis, Mahoberberis, and Mahonia. During the requisite nursery inspections, all nursery stock shall be examined to determine that it consists only of rust-resistant varieties of the genera Berberis, Mahoberberis, and Mahonia, and that the plants are true to type. Plants that do not meet this criteria must be destroyed.
- (c) All seed used to propagate plants of the genera Berberis, Mahoberberis, and Mahonia in protected areas, and all seed used to propagate plants of the genera Berberis, Mahoberberis, and Mahonia that are certified as rust-resistant for interstate movement into protected areas, must be produced at properties where a State inspector has verified that no wild or domesticated rust-susceptible plants are growing at or within one-half mile of the property.⁴

⁴Persons performing the inspections must be able to recognize rust-susceptible varieties of *Berberis*, *Mahoberberis*, and *Mahonia*.